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For: TRANSMISSION CONTROLLER

OF A V-BELT TYPE

CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

LETTER OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This is a letter acknowledging that the prior art citation filed by the patent owner under 37 CFR 1.501 on August 14, 2007 has been received by the Patent and Trademark Office.

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